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Dear Sir:

**Re: United States Patent Application No. 10/706,925**  
**For: APPARATUS FOR AND METHOD OF FORMING SEALS IN FUEL**  
**CELLS AND FUEL CELL STACKS**  
**Filed: November 24, 2003**  
**Inventors: David Frank et al.**

In a phone call yesterday to the OIPE, we discovered that our Request for Correction of Filing Receipt dated May 13, 2004 has not yet been processed. We were informed that this request had not been processed because it had not been faxed to the OIPE.

We attach the original transmittal, Request for Correction, and a copy of the Initial Information Data Sheet for your reference.

We look forward to receiving a corrected filing receipt incorporating the change.

Please acknowledge receipt of this communication.

Yours truly,



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	First Named Inventor	David G. Frank
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**REQUEST FOR CORRECTION OF FILING RECEIPT**

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**For: Apparatus for and Method of Forming Seals**  
**in Fuel Cells and Fuel Cell Stacks**  
**Filed: November 14, 2003**  
**Inventors: David Frank et al.**

This is further to the Filing Receipt dated February 11, 2004. Please note that there are two foreign applications that were omitted from the domestic applications section of the Filing Receipt. Listed below are the two domestic applications that need to be added to the Filing Receipt.

- 1) Foreign Application No.: PCT/US02/15387  
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Country: PCT
- 2) Foreign Application No.: 09/854,362  
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A copy of the Initial Information Data Sheet, as filed, is enclosed for your reference.

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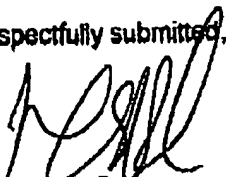
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